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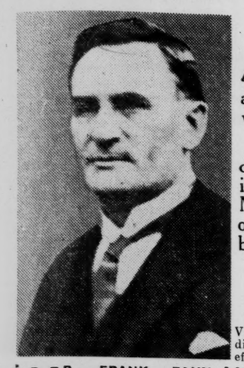
ELECTION DATE IS NOW FIXED FOR JUNE 22

Voting to be on New Register

A GENERAL election will take place in Eire on June 22, when 1,809,104 electors will be asked to exercise the franchise. The majority of them will walk to the booths.

The announcement was made in the Dail yesterday by An Taoiseach, Mr. de Valera, who said that it was his intention to advise the President to give, on May 31 (Monday next) a direction for the holding of the election, which would mean that June 9 would be the last day for receiving nominations.

Only T.D. Whose Election is Already Assured



MR. FRANK FAHY, Ceann Comhairle, or Speaker, of the Dail. He is the only retiring deputy who can be assured of his seat in the next election. Under the existing Constitution the Speaker becomes automatically elected to the ensuing Dail. Mr. Fahy represents Galway East.

CANDIDATES' PETROL

The outgoing Dail, Mr. DE VALERA said, would have to be dissolved before July 8th effect, it will be dissolved as soon as the Clerk of the Dail announces that the election returns are complete."

After Mr. de Valera had made the announcement of the election dates, Mr. W. DAVIN (Leix-Offaly) raised the question of petrol for Dail candidates, and Mr. LEMASS, Minister for Supplies, said that facilities were being given to all political parties to use a number of private motor cars, and an allowance of petrol also was being given.

It had been decided to make an allowance of eight gallons of petrol to each candidate nominated for the election after the nomination day. In addition, each party would receive a special allowance of petrol, as well as permits for cars, to enable them to undertake organisation work associated with the election proper. Those allowances varied according to the size of the parties—from the large parties to the small parties not represented in the Dail at the moment. Candidates would obtain permits for their own cars if they wished, or they could use their allocation in hired cars.

"The supplies position," he added, "did not permit of a bigger allocation, and he wanted to leave a drop in the tanks to enable his successor to carry on for at least a month."

Having concluded the business on the Order Paper for the day, the House rose last night after a quiet sitting, with not more than a dozen deputies in their seats during the greater part of the afternoon.

The Old and the New

Thus the tenth Dail draws to a close after a normal span, but in most abnormal circumstances, and its demise brings to an end continuous efforts over several months to avoid a general election, either by the expedient of a Coalition or by setting up a National Government, against both of which Mr. de Valera set his face determinedly.

The eleventh Dail will be brought into being in a manner unprecedented in the history of the democratic electoral systems, for while the people select the new Government and Parliament, the old ones still will be in existence, and will, if necessary, have functional powers even after the poll takes place. By special legislation to meet the exigencies of unsettled conditions the usual hiatus of three weeks between the dissolution of one and the election of another Parliament has been removed, and not until the new Dail is completely elected will the President declare the old body dissolved.

Another innovation demanded by the national emergency will be the official circulation among the electorate of cards giving voters' numbers and affording information relating to the appropriate polling booths. In view of the severe transport restrictions, the number of booths will be considerably increased, and no voter will have to walk more than 1½ miles.

The election will be fought on a new register which will increase the electorate by some hundreds, but actually the voting power of the people will be appreciably reduced by emigration, apart from the apathetic margin, which generally has ranged between 25 and 30 per cent.

The outgoing National Assembly was elected in June, 1938, in succession to a Dail which had been in existence only 11 months, and which was dissolved by the then President, Mr. de Valera, because of the instability of the Government's majority in the House. In the ensuing campaign Mr. de Valera intimated that in the event of another unstable Government, the question of dispensing with Proportional Representation system of election would have to be considered. Since then, however, the P.R. system has been enshrined in the Constitution.

PREVIOUS VOTING

Votes Cast	1,302,070
Percentage of Electorate	73.5
Valid Votes	1,286,259
Votes Rejected	15,711
Number of Candidates	207

The strength of the parties after the election was:—

	Seats.	1st Prefs
Fianna Fail	77	667,996
Fine Gael	45	428,633
Labour	9	128,945
Independent	7	60,685

There were contests for 131 seats. Seven members—F. Fahy, Ceann Comhairle (Galway, E.), B. Brady (Donegal, W.), C. Breslin (do.), J. J. Flynn (Kerry, South), and F. H. Crowley (do.)—were returned unopposed on the Fianna Fail ticket, while M. Og McFadden (Donegal, W.) and F. Lynch (Kerry, S.), who stood for Fine Gael, were not opposed.

In the previous Dail the party strengths were Fianna Fail, 67; Fine Gael, 48; Labour, 13, and Independents, 5.

THE SENATE

Within ninety days of the dissolution of the Dail a new Senate must be elected, and the date of this election will be fixed by the Minister for Local Government, as forty-three of its sixty seats will be filled by election on a vocational basis, six will be provided by the two universities, and eleven will be nominated by the incoming Taoiseach.

Within the past five years the present Dail lost nine of its 138 members through death, there were two by-elections, and seven seats still are vacant. The by-elections were in West Galway, where Mr. J. J. Keane (F.F.) defeated a Clann na Talmham candidate, and in South Dublin, where Mr. J. McCann retained the Government seat against general opposition. The vacant seats were occupied by the late Alderman T. Kelly (S. Dublin), Seamus Moore (Wicklow), T. P. Dowdall (Cork C.), Hugo Flinn (do.), Dr. J. Tubridy (West Galway), and S. Munnelly (Mayo, N.), all members of the Government Party, and Mr. Brooke Brasier (F.G., Cork S.E.).

CANDIDATES

With all three main parties making strong bids for power, the number of candidates in this election is expected to be at least 300. Labour, following its local elections successes, will have at least eighty nominations—sufficient to give them a working majority in the new House if their hopes are realised. Although at one recent period, agricultural interests seemed to be about to be revived in the shape of a party, and Clann na Talmhan still is carrying the farmers' banner, hopes for the return of a strong Dail representation have been dimmed by dissension. Independent candidates are likely to be about as strong as usual, with the addition of perhaps more than one National Government supporter.

Paramount issues in the last election will again be the principal theme for the hustings, and, apart from Partition, they will mainly be domestic. All parties, as distinct from individuals, join hands on neutrality; politically, Fianna Fail stands four square on the old issues, but economically the Party will need to survive severe criticism from all its opponents.

KEY CONTESTS

Key points in the coming contest will be Kilkenny, where Mr. Derrig will need to put in a tremendous fight having regard to the situation there during the last election; Cork, where Mr. Cosgrave, leader of Fine Gael, and the newcomer, Mr. William Dwyer, will set their supporters a difficult task, Mr. F. Aiken's Louth leadership, Dublin Townships, which elected Mr. MacEntee, Dublin South (Mr. S. Lemass), Dublin N. W. (Mr. S. T. O'Kelly), Wexford (Dr. J. Ryan), Dublin N. E. (Mr. Traynor), Roscommon (Mr. Boland) and Clare (Mr. de Valera).

The three sitting women members, Mrs. Redmond (F.G., Waterford), Mrs. Reynolds (F.G., Leitrim), and Mrs. Rice (F.F., Monaghan), will seek re-election.

Unemployed Youth Commission

THE Government has set up a Commission to inquire into the problem of unemployed youth, and to examine and report on the extent and causes of unemployment among young persons of school-leaving age and under 20 years, and, having regard to social, economic and financial considerations, to make recommendations as to the most practicable and desirable measures: (a) to prevent and remedy such unemployment; (b) to guide such persons in their choice of a vocation, and (c) to secure for such persons the most appropriate and efficient training to fit them to take a useful part in the economic life of the country.

To make recommendations as to control of the conditions of employment of young persons for the purpose of promoting their spiritual and physical welfare and their efficiency as workers, and of giving them opportunities of equipping themselves for more highly skilled work.

To make recommendations as to the most practicable and desirable measures for promoting the religious, intellectual and physical development of young persons.

PERSONNEL

The Most Rev. Dr. J. C. McQuaid, Archbishop of Dublin, has consented to act as chairman, and the following have also agreed to serve on the Commission:—

Father Aloysius, O.F.M.Cap., Church street; G. J. T. Clampett, F.R.E.S.; Father Thomas Counihan, S.J., Rathfarnham Castle; G. H. Cecil Crampton; Joseph Farrell, E.S.B. staff; Martin Gleeson, M.A., Director of Comhairle le Leas Oige; Martin Keady, B.Sc., A.R.C.S.I.; James Larkin.

Peter McCarthy, 35 Orwell Park, Rathgar; Gerald S. McInerney, Chairman of Dublin and District Milk Board; Conor Martin, M.B., M.A.O.; T. D. O'Brien, P.C., Monkstown, member of Juvenile Advisory Committee; Senator T. J. O'Connell, LL.D.; H. B. O'Hanlon, Taxing Master in Four Courts.

M. W. O'Reilly, Chairman, Irish National Insurance Company, Ltd.; Cathal O'Shannon, Mrs. Agnes Ryan, Burton Hall, Stillorgan; John Ingram, B.E., Chief Inspector of Technical Instruction, of Department of Education; W. J. Maguire, Assistant Secretary, Department of Industry and Commerce, and Miss B. Stafford, M.A.

Mr. E. J. C. McEvoy, Department of Industry and Commerce, Kildare street, Dublin, will act as Secretary of the Commission.

8,000,000 Massed in Russia

ACCORDING to neutral reports quoted by Rome Radio, 8,000,000 (men) are massed between Leningrad and the Black Sea, says Reuter. Both Germans and Russians, Rome added, have at least 200 divisions ready for the coming clash. Fighting meantime is confined to local operations. Russian troops on the Kalinin front, north-west of Moscow, have occupied four towns or villages in new attacks on Axis garrisons.

On the Northern front, according to German reports, the Soviet object is to smash the German bolt position between the Volkhov River and Lake Peipus, then march into Estonia, open up the Gulf of Finland, cut off the Finnish and the Norwegian fronts, and, finally, join hands with Britain across Scandinavia.

Science in Post-War Agriculture

THE extension of veterinary science to agricultural development in the post-war period was discussed last night by experts at a general meeting of the Veterinary Medical Association held in the Veterinary College, Dublin. The meeting also considered proposals for the improvement of livestock and the eradication of the risk of animal disease being transmitted to persons.

Dr. H. J. Lamont, Director of Veterinary Research in Northern Ireland, demonstrated new methods of dealing with infertility in animals, which is regarded by the Association as one of the major questions in post-war agricultural planning.

Professor J. Nicholson, of the Psysiology Department of the College, took part in these demonstrations.

The subjects of mastitis and contagious abortion of cattle were dealt with by Mr. H. F. Timoney, Veterinary Research Officer, Department of Agriculture, and Mr. F. J. Daly, of Swords, who demonstrated the use of new drugs and new lines of treatment.

Mr. R. R. Pierse, Listowel, lectured on "New Methods in Veterinary Practice," which was followed by a discussion opened by Professor A. F. O'Dea.

The Association will continue their discussions and submit proposals to the Government.

Professor W. Kearney presided.

TO BE MILITARY CHURCH

The Chapel Royal, Dublin Castle, which, as was reported yesterday, is to be opened as a military church.

Churchill-Roosevelt Statement Soon: Criticisms in Italy

PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT and Mr. Churchill will issue a joint statement on their talks soon, the White House disclosed yesterday. The statement, which will be brief, was said to be at present in preparation.

The President and Mr. Churchill had a conference yesterday morning.

At the moment, says Reuter's Special Correspondent, American interest is centred on Italy, the constant air raids on which are regarded as a prelude to an invasion attempt.

The Italian News Agency, in its overseas service last night, said: "Italy has always had her place in the world, and will always have it, whatever the British Prime Minister may think. If there was ever anyone who did not want Italy to have a place in the first rank of the nations it was Britain.

"In implying that the the fate of Italy will in future be in Britain's hands, Churchill is going too fast. If the fate of Italy were really in her enemy's hands, the latter would not need to address her with so many flatteries and threats.

"In asking the Italians to disown their leaders, Churchill wants them to disown their legitimate aspirations, which are embodied in the Fascist régime. In other words, they would have to give up everything—and never occupy the place in the world which Churchill, whatever he may say, is less than ever disposed to give them."

Referring to the Allied raid on Grosseto, about 100 miles up the coast from Rome, Signor Ezzio Maria Grai, official Fascist spokesman, in a Rome broadcast, said:—

"It has hitherto been difficult to convince our people of the imminent danger. Until the tragedy of Grosseto there may have been some among us who found it somewhat difficult to understand why we are fighting at all. After Grosseto, however, such difficulty in understanding is no longer permissible.

"Italians, realise this. Repeat it to yourselves every day. Then you will better understand that, by fighting and by resisting also the war of nerves, you are defending your very hearts."

ALLAN GOES A-WALKING

Helen taking Allan for a walk, at the annual meeting of the Cottage Home for Little Children, Dun Laoghaire.

Mr. Edsel Ford, only son and heir of Henry Ford, and President of the Ford Motor Co., whose death has been announced. He had been ill for six weeks.

G.S.R. IN JEOPARDY, SAYS MR. LEMASS

THE Great Southern Railways are in a helpless position, and the Government are preparing reorganisation plans for introduction after the election.

This was the burden of a speech by Mr. LEMASS, Minister for Industry and Commerce, replying in the Dail yesterday to the debate on the estimate for his Department.

"It is quite clear," he said, "from the facts as we know them, that the position of the company is such that any measures to remedy it would be beyond the capacity of private industrial enterprise. The measures necessary to ensure the survival of that organisation could not be initiated by private enterprise, and, indeed, it is doubtful if these measures could in fact be initiated by national enterprise either.

REORGANISATION

"There must be a vast reorganisation in its method of working, and a complete modernising of its equipment, if it is to survive at all. As conditions now stand, the company could not obtain the resources necessary to carry out these reforms. Capital invested by private investors in the company is already in large measure lost, and, under the circumstances which exist and which can be contemplated in the future, private investors would not provide the vast sums required for reorganisation and re-equipment of the company's services which the Government have in mind."

Replying to Labour Party attacks on Mr. A. P. Reynolds, he said that they were completely unwarranted, for the chairman of the company was facing the facts. The Minister recalled how in 1932 imminent collapse of the company was averted by legislation, but it was not clear, he said, that the difficulties were of much deeper root than they appeared then to be.

COMPANY'S LOSSES

Mr. LEMASS said that employés of the railway company must know that the organisation on which they were depending for their livelihood was in jeopardy, and could not be carried on indefinitely at a loss. It was making a loss now, and would continue to make losses unless reorganisation which the Government contemplated was successfully carried through, and he could not even guarantee that the efforts which they contemplated would be successful. The organisation could not be saved at all without the full help and co-operation of the employés of the company. The present financial position of the company was very serious. The anticipated revenue of the company for the present year would not meet its working costs. Clearly powers must be given to the company to increase rates and enable greater revenue to be earned. Reorganisation proposals were at present being worked out, and would in due course be completed, and if it were his function he would then put them before the Dail.

Mr. DAVIN—Is it under public ownership or private control?

Mr. LEMASS—The deputy should wait and see.

POST-WAR TRADE

Turning to the industrial position, the Minister said that during the war a large number of tariffs and other restrictions had been suspended (not removed) by Emergency Powers Orders, and on the expiration of the period named in the Order they would come back automatically, and it would then be for the Government in power to continue, modify or remove them. He must indicate that in general principle the post-war trade policy would be similar to that operated before the war—that was, to secure that the maximum degree of manufacture would be carried out in the country by their workers, and that importations would be limited to the raw materials that could not be provided out of their own resources.

The estimate was agreed to.

Future of Irish Commerce

THAT the development of air transport and food dehydration might endanger Eire's export trade after the war was a possibility remarked upon by the President of the Dublin Chamber of Commerce (Mr. D. Coyle) at the May meeting of the Chamber yesterday. Cargo 'planes full of dehydrated foodstuffs from abroad might replace shiploads of fresh produce from Ireland, he said.

Mr. Coyle, who was speaking on "Seeds of Commerce," said the Chamber must acknowledge the great service rendered by the Government in establishing a small mercantile marine in the face of great difficulties and criticism. As a result, commerce here enjoyed supplies of commodities now which would have been impossible to get without our own shipping. They might recommend even now that the Government should consider the allied development of a mercantile air service.

The Chamber must condemn any abuse that would tarnish the traditions of commercial integrity, and pay strict attention to full weights and measures and payment of lawful debts. Consideration should be given by the Chamber to preparing a practical basis for the introduction of the metric system of weight here.

The greatest mechanical medium of advertising ever known to commerce is the Press, which offers a powerful service of organisation and distribution throughout the world.—Mr. David Coyle, President, at yesterday's meeting of Dublin Chamber of Commerce.

Mr. Coyle said that he felt that many markets from which we bought elsewhere would ultimately be located here, including even a commercial insurance market. The expansion of the potential commercial field to twice our present population could be regarded as practical politics to be considered by the present generation of private and commercial interests.

Mr. H. Osterberg, Danish Consul, said that, freed from the outside influences of former times, Eire was now master to a greater degree of her own fate. Ireland's part in the post-war planning was a disquieting question. The Chamber ought to approach the Government on the question of developing our Consular services abroad.

Alderman E. Benson, T.D., vice-chairman, was not sure of the country's ability to run a mercantile marine after the war or build up a carrying trade.

We had, said Mr. T. J. Cullen, lost £1,000,000 on importing oats when the shipping space could have been used for wheat. Our trade commissioners abroad should be paid on commission, and we would not be short of so many commodities.

Mr. Dillon and The "Irish Press"

When the second stage of the Appropriation Bill had been discussed in the Dail yesterday, Mr. JAMES DILLON (Ind., Monaghan) said that recently the *Irish Press* gave what was alleged to be an extract from the official reports of this House, which actually consisted of a false extract of a sentence from the report and the addition of another extract. It was alleged to be an extract from the records of our House, and on it was based a lying and slanderous attack on a member of this House—Deputy McGilligan. Can we prevent a newspaper publishing as an extract from our official reports that which is not a proved extract?"

The DEPUTY SPEAKER pointed out that the discussion on the second stage of the bill had concluded when the Minister's statement had come to an end.

The bill then passed its second, Committee and final stages, but when it was proposed that the bill should now pass, Mr. DILLON again raised the question, and said that some years ago, when Deputy McGilligan was Minister for Industry and Commerce, the House was discussing the incidence of destitution in the country, and, in the course of his reply, he turned to Deputy Davin and said: "Certain people in this country might take up the position that citizens of the State might have to die of hunger." Then Deputy McGilligan said, looking at Deputy Davin: "Neither Deputy Davin nor I would ever subscribe to such a doctrine.' That was what the official report contained.

"RASCALITY"

"The *Irish Press* says," continued Mr. Dillon: "We are now about to quote the official report of the Dail. They say 'Deputy McGilligan said, when he was Minister for Industry and Commerce, that certain citizens of this State might have to die of hunger.' Then they go on and pick out several sentences later in the statement he made in the course of his speech, that it was no part of the Government's duty to provide work for people who were unemployed. That was, to use the official report of this House, to convey to the public an impression diametrically opposite to that conveyed by what Deputy McGilligan said. There are limits to the extravagant dishonesty, rascality, and villainy that ought to be tolerated by this House."

"I am asking Deputies to join with me in declaring that the official records of the proceedings of this House will not be used by any newspaper inside or outside this country for the purpose of making lying, libellous attacks on members of this House."

OUT OF ORDER

Mr. S. T. O'KELLY suggested that Deputy Dillon was entirely out of order and wanted the House to take action which they had no power to take. He suggested that Deputy Dillon was making use of the privileges of the House to utter slanders against people who were not there to defend themselves. If these slanders were made against members of the House, as alleged, there was the ordinary law to deal with them.

Mr. DILLON—Surely we can resolve among ourselves on this.

The DEPUTY SPEAKER said they had no power to do that.

The Dail then adjourned *sine die*.

Queen Wilhelming of the Netherlands arrived in Montreal yesterday by air from England, on her way to Ottawa, to visit Princess Juliana and her children.—(Reuter.)

IRISH OAK SINKING DENOUNCED BY MR. DE VALERA

MR. DE VALERA, in the Dail yesterday, described the torpedoing of the Irish Oak as a "wanton and inexcusable act." He made it clear that Irish ships do not travel in convoy, and said that, on the day previous to the sinking of the Irish Oak, a submarine was seen, and identified as German.

It was not seen after that, and, he added: "It is not possible to establish any connection between that particular submarine and the submarine which fired the torpedo."

TWO TORPEDOES FIRED

Mr. J. M. DILLON (Ind., Monaghan) asked Mr. de Valera whether he would state the circumstances in which the ss. Irish Oak was torpedoed and sunk, and to what Navy the submarine, which sank the ship in daylight, belonged.

Mr. DE VALERA said the circumstances of the sinking of the Irish Oak were stated in the announcement by Irish Shipping, Ltd., published in the Press of May 21st. As was stated, the attacking submarine was not seen by any member of the crew, therefore there was no proof as to its nationality.

Mr. DILLON—I should like to ask, first, was the submarine which torpedoed this ship seen on the surface by members of the crew at 5.30 on the Friday evening before the ship was torpedoed; did it follow the ship through the night and torpedo it without notice at 10 o'clock on the following morning; secondly, after firing the first torpedo, and after the crew had taken to the boats, did the attacking submarine return and fire a second torpedo?

THE PREVIOUS DAY

Mr. DE VALERA—With regard to the question of whether the submarine that fired the torpedo—assuming that it was a submarine that fired it—had been seen the previous day, and followed the ship, that is not my information. My information is that a submarine was seen the previous day which was identified, not by any markings, but by its general contour or silhouette as a German submarine; that submarine was seen between 2.30 and 5.30 the previous day; that submarine was not seen after that, and, therefore, it is not possible to establish any connection between that particular submarine and the submarine which fired the torpedo. There are more submarines than one; therefore, it would be very difficult to establish any connection between that submarine and the submarine which fired the torpedo. Therefore, one cannot say that it was that particular submarine, and that it did, in fact, follow the ship through the night because it was lost sight of between 5.30 and 6. You cannot say, therefore, that it was that submarine that fired the torpedo.

With regard to the second question, I have no information further than that the first torpedo was fired, striking the ship forward on the port side, and that after the crew had taken to the boats the second torpedo was fired, and that the ship sank finally at 10 a.m. The first torpedo was fired at 8.40.

Mr. DILLON—I take it that the Master has been examined and certified to representatives of the Minister that he was not in a position to identify or express any opinion as to the nationality of the submarine.

Mr. DE VALERA—The information I have given to the deputy and the House is the information obtained from the master of the ship by officers of my Department. He says quite definitely that they were not able to identify the submarine which fired the torpedo, or its nationality.

Mr. J. HICKEY (Labour)—Is it a fact that this ship was out of convoy at the time it was struck?

Mr. DE VALERA—Our ships are not travelling in convoy.

Mr. HICKEY—I am glad to hear that, because a lot of people are trying to create trouble by saying that they are in convoy.

"WANTON ACT"

Mr. DE VALERA—I want to say that the sinking of the Irish Oak by the firing of a torpedo was a wanton and inexcusable act.

Mr. DILLON—Hear, hear.

Mr. DE VALERA—There was no possibility of mistake; the conditions of visibility were good and the neutral markings on our ships were perfectly clear. There was no warning given; the first intimation that there was a submarine about was the explosion of the torpedo, and we can regard it as an act of Providence that any of the crew was saved.

Mr. W. NORTON (Labour)—Will the Taoiseach say what is the nationality of the master of the ship?

Mr. DE VALERA—I do not know.

Mr. HICKEY (Labour)—The Taoiseach should take a good interest in the nationality of our captains.

Mr. DE VALERA—The nationality of our ships is quite definite, but as to the nationality of the crew I do not know.

Mr. J. EVERETT (Labour)—Was any information given to a British convoy that a submarine had been sighted the night before?

Mr. DE VALERA—No information was given by our ships; I am sure there was not. It is not the business of our ships to give information to anybody.

Mr. DAVIN (Labour)—Is the Taoiseach aware that representations were made that Irish nationals should get preference?

Mr. DE VALERA—I want to be clear about this—there is no justification for that attack—none of any kind whatsoever.

Raising the question later in the evening of the nationality of the captain of the Irish Oak, Mr. DAVIN urged that preference should be given by Irish Shipping, Ltd., to Irish nationals when posts were being filled on Irish ships. A recommendation to that effect had been made, he said, by the Defence Conference, and had been sent to the Cabinet. That recommendation had not strictly been adhered to, and, if it was sound national policy to maintain neutrality, it should be implemented. He added that he did not suggest that the nationality of the Irish Oak's captain had anything to do with the sinking of the ship.

Raid on Dusseldorf

DUSSELDORF, one of Germany's main armament centres, was the principal objective of Tuesday night's bombing attack by the Royal Air Force. According to the British communique, the raid was made by aircraft of Bomber Command "in very great strength." Twenty-seven bombers are missing.

"More than five 4,000-lb. bombs were dropped every minute," says the Air Ministry News Service. "In addition, the targets were also attacked with 8,000-lb. bombs and tens of thousands of incendiaries. The force sent out by Bomber Command was nearly as large as that which attacked Dortmund on Sunday night . . . At least two huge explosions were seen."

Dusseldorf has a population of about 500,000. It contains a large and essential part of the German iron and steel industry. Its big works and factories are mainly engaged in producing armaments of all kinds—principally guns, shells, bombs, mines and torpedoes. Dusseldorf is also an important centre of the German machine-tool industry.

At-a-Glance Survey of Party Strength

At a glance, the following table gives the First Preference strength of the parties and Independents in the various constituencies:—
(Members elected are in parentheses.)

	F.F.		F.G.		Lab.		Ind.	
Athlone-Longford	15,410	(2)	11,119	(1)	2,570	(—)	—	(—)
Carlow-Kildare	16,507	(2)	11,853	(1)	7,467	(1)	—	(—)
Cavan	17,178	(2)	9,202	(1)	3,908	(—)	6,375	(1)
Clare	29,377	(3)	7,966	(1)	5,713	(—)	6,525	(1)
Cork City	17,088	(2)	9,914	(1)	7,094	(1)	5,071	(—)
Cork (N.)	18,522	(2)	15,765	(2)	4,950	(—)	—	(—)
Cork, West	20,914	(2)	22,757	(2)	10,424	(1)	—	(—)
Cork, South-East	12,876	(1)	13,132	(1)	5,872	(1)	—	(—)
Donegal, E.	20,187	(2)	7,797	(1)	1,642	(—)	7,846	(1)
Dublin, N.W.	24,145	(3)	10,325	(1)	5,715	(—)	6,280	(1)
Dublin, S.	30,768	(4)	16,083	(2)	4,381	(—)	3,850	(1)
Dublin, N.E.	15,358	(1)	9,072	(1)	—	(—)	12,240	(1)
Dublin County	27,632	(3)	24,835	(2)	5,564	(—)	1,224	(—)
Dublin Townships	16,984	(1)	18,617	(2)	—	(—)	—	(—)
Galway, E.	21,798	(2)	10,479	(1)	2,753	(—)	—	(—)
Galway, W.	19,594	(2)	6,975	(1)	2,046	(—)	—	(—)
Kerry, N.	23,619	(3)	8,408	(1)	3,273	(—)	—	(—)
Kilkenny	15,746	(1)	10,833	(1)	6,720	(1)	—	(—)
Leitrim	16,439	(2)	10,640	(1)	—	(—)	—	(—)
Leix-Offaly	26,196	(3)	14,218	(1)	8,396	(1)	—	(—)
Limerick	36,232	(4)	22,936	(2)	8,015	(1)	—	(—)
Louth	15,987	(2)	12,728	(1)	2,091	(—)	—	(—)
Mayo, N.	17,379	(2)	8,956	(1)	—	(—)	—	(—)
Mayo, S.	25,609	(3)	16,379	(2)	923	(—)	—	(—)
Meath-Westmeath	26,381	(3)	17,586	(2)	4,621	(—)	—	(—)
Monaghan	16,533	(2)	9,318	(1)	—	(—)	5,984	(1)
Roscommon	18,942	(2)	12,747	(1)	—	(—)	—	(—)
Sligo	14,784	(2)	14,003	(1)	—	(—)	—	(—)
Tipperary	35,543	(4)	26,338	(3)	6,009	(—)	—	(—)
Waterford	22,542	(2)	16,594	(2)	2,323	(—)	—	(—)
Wexford	22,229	(2)	15,319	(2)	9,162	(—)	—	(—)
Wicklow	9,497	(1)	5,799	(1)	8,125	(1)	5,285	(1)

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TEA : 4/- per lb. Certain packet teas of well-known proprietary brands are available at prices below the above price, and consumers should ensure that excessive prices are not charged for these teas.

SUGAR : ..... 5d. per lb.

BUTTER : ..... 2/- per lb.

COCOA :

Van Houten's Gold Label, per qr. lb.	7½d.
Bournville, Fry's, Home and Colonial, Standard, Jacob's Family, Lipton's Red Label, Van Houten's Mild, per qr. lb.	6d.
Rowntree's, per qr. lb.	5½d
Other Varieties, per qr. lb.	4½d
Larger quantities of the proprietary brands named must be sold at lower rates.	
Drinking Chocolate, per qr. lb. ...	4½d.
Except Tobler, per qr. lb.	7d.
Shell Cocoa, per lb	4d.
Except Kokoleze, Fry's Shell Cocoa, "Mayfair" Shell Cocoa, and Moss's Teaco, per lb.	6d.
Maltiko, per lb.	10d.

COFFEE :

Ground or Unground, per lb.	3/-
Do. Do. in tins, per lb.	3/2
Bottled Preparations—"Irel" Coffee and Chicory Essence, Newsom's Coffee Essence, Cantwell's Coffee and Chicory Essence, Paten's Coffee and Caicory, Alfa Coffee Extract with Chicory. Per bottle—3 ozs. size, 2½d.; 4½ ozs size 1/3; 9 ozs. size, 2/3.	

FRESH MILK :

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Co. Borough of Dublin, Administrative County of Dublin and Bray Urban District.

PERIOD	Bottled and Delivered. Per Pint	Delivered Loose Per Pint	Sold in Shop Loose Per Pint
TO 30th JUNE, 1943.....	3½D.	3¼D.	2½D.

ELSEWHERE (Except Co. Louth):		
PERIOD	Bottled Per Pint	Other than Bottled Per Pint
TO 30th JUNE, 1943.....	2¾D.	2½D.

CONDENSED MILK (Irish) :

Full cream, sweetened, per 1¾ pint tin, 10d.; full cream, unsweetened, per 2 pint tin 9d.; skimmed milk, unsweetened, per 1¼ pint tin, 6d.

BACON : (GREEN) Rate per lb s. d

When Sold in Slices or Pieces.

Gammon or Square Cut Ham—Round	2 0
Gammon or Square Cut Ham—Shank	1 8
Ham—Long Cut—Round	2 6
Ham—Long Cut—Shank	2 0
Collar	1 10
Shoulder	1 10
Wiltshire Back—Wide	2 6
Wiltshire Back—Narrow	2 10
Streak	2 6
Breast	1 10
Flank	1 0
Long Clear Back—Middle Cut	2 10
Long Clear Belly—Middle Cut	2 4
Irish Rolled	2 4

The above prices may be increased by not more than 2d. per lb. for pale dried or smoked bacon.

POTATOES (1942 CROP) Per Stone s. d.

Co. Boroughs of Dublin and Cork, Borough of Dun Laoghaire, Urban District of Bray, and certain parts of the Administrative Counties of Dublin and Cork	1 10
Elsewhere	1 8

Where appropriate, prices for smaller quantities must not be at a higher rate than the standard maximum rate. For example, the price of ½lb. of dripping must not exceed 4½d.

It is illegal to sell or offer for sale any of these commodities at a price in excess of the appropriate price. Where the price charged is in excess of the appropriate price, the purchaser should ask for a statement in writing, as provided by the Emergency Powers (Particulars of Sales) Order, 1941, signed by the vendor or his agent, and containing (1) name and address of the vendor, (2) date of sale, (3) description of commodity, (4) net weight, measure or number of the commodity, (as the case may be), (5) sum charged. This statement should be forwarded to the Department of Supplies, Ballsbridge, Dublin, so that proceedings may be instituted against the offender. Purchasers should report without delay any instance of refusal to furnish the required statement.

Purchasers are also reminded that it is illegal for a retailer to sell any of the above-mentioned commodities upon terms that the purchaser of such commodity shall, in addition to such commodity, purchase some other commodity, or pay for the rendering by the vendor of any service in connection with the commodity purchased or any other commodity.

May 27, 1943. JOHN LEYDON, Secretary.

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1	8 2	2	1 6
2	1 3 4	4	2 7
4	2 2 8	8	4 9
8	3 11		
16	6 4		

CIGARETTES: Sale by retail of various popular brands sold by number is prohibited otherwise than in lots of 5 or multiples of 5. Maximum retail prices for these brands have been fixed by Order, the cheap grades being 5 for 3d., 10 for 6d., etc.; medium grades without coupons, 5 for 4½d., 10 for 8½d., etc., and the more expensive grades at varying rates.

MATCHES : Maguire and Paterson's "Friendly," "Special Safety" and "Irish Gem" (per box of 47-50), 1½d. Book of 20 matches, over counter 2d. Book of 20 matches, from slot machines, 1d.

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Size 4 ... 5¾d.	Size 10 ... 2½d.
Size 5 ... 4¾d.	Size 12 ... 2d.
Size 6 ... 4d.	Size 14 ... 1¾d.

KNITTING WOOLS AND YARNS :

(1) Branded Wools and Yarns—

	Per oz. s. d.	Per lb. s. d.
Snowqueen	1	13 2
Blarney Castle Fingering		
Woolnese	9½	12
Arnco Fibro		
Shamrock Fingering ...		
Favourite	9	11 10
Duo Crepe		
Copley's Fibro	8½	11 2
Smartex Fingering		
Siltex	8	10 6
Victory		
Woolco		
Blarney Fingering		
Killowen	7½	9 10
" Double Knitting		
Mahony's Oiled Yarn ...	5	6 6

(2) Unbranded Wools and Yarns—

Knitting Yarn	7½	9 10
Mending Wool or Yarn		
Synthetic or Fibro	8	10 6
Knitting Yarn Cards		
Artificial Silk Knitting Yarn (Crepe or Floss)	1 0	15 10

(3) When sold on Mending Cards—
Per Card, 2d. per 20 yards.

The sale retail of any of the above descriptions of Wools and Yarns otherwise than by weight is prohibited, except when sold on Mending Cards.

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600 feet per lb. ...	2 5 6	
650 feet per lb. (Red Seal) ...	2 6 0	—
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All other descriptions	2 0 0	1 15 9

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GREEN STAR SPORTS ORGANISATION

Mr. V. Crotty presided at the inaugural meeting at the Metropole of the Green Star Sports Organisation, the objects of which were to improve the position of sport as the fulfilment of a social duty to improve the health of town-dwellers, to secure a greater collective spirit among athletes, and to secure a greater efficiency in their objects through the solidarity of the organisation. He appealed for co-operation from other sports bodies. Mr. J. P. Weldon (chairman, Munster Branch, I.A.S.A.) stressed the need for such a body, and promised help from swimmers. Mr. J. Kenny (Cork Co. Board, N.A.C.A.) also supported the proposal. Professor J. Busteed was elected president and Seamus Murphy vice-president, with the following provisional committee:—Messrs. V. Crotty (chairman), Sean Sheehan (hon. treasurer), A. D. Martin (hon. secretary), T. Henley (assistant hon. secretary), and J. Kelleher (sports leader).

SCHOOLS' CUP CRICKET

Two matches were played in the first round of the Leinster Senior Schools' Cup yesterday, and Blackrock and Wesley were successful. Results:—

Blackrock College, 48 (T. Burke 22, J. Williams 7 for 27, S. Wright 3 for 6); High School, 17 (R. McGinty 6 for 7, Burke 4 for 9). Blackrock won by 31 runs.

Mountjoy School, 26 (A. Hill 4 for 17, J. Sleator 3 for 6); Wesley, 137 (C. Crampton 54, J. Lucas 3 for 13).

The 2,000 Guineas winner and third, Kingsway and Way In, may run again in the Monarch Stakes at Windsor on June 5 before running in the Derby.

Public Golf Course for Dublin?

By J. P. ROONEY.

"WHEN the war is over we are promised all sorts of new orders — everybody is going to be looked after from the cradle to the grave. In all that social security planning for the future, however, everybody seems to have overlooked the fact that nobody makes any attempt to help the average man to do anything except to look at a football match—nobody appears to be interested in giving the average man, who is past his best as an athlete, the chance of taking any exercise to keep him physically fit. I believe the idea of introducing golf for the masses by providing a public golf course in Dublin is a thing that certainly should be taken up, and I feel sure that, when the war is over, in addition to social security, the Government should look to some form of healthful recreation for the people, of which few get enough. If they did, there would not be so much work for the doctors and officials of the National Health Insurance."

So said Dr. P. J. Keogh, past captain of the Kilcroney Club and captain of the Irish Clay Pigeon shooting team, at the captain's dinner at Kilcroney last Saturday night. We also had the assurance of the captain of the club, Mr. F. S. Charters, that if the movement for the provision of a public golf course in the Phœnix Park is revived it will have the wholehearted support of his club.

Many years ago a Public Golf Committee, of which the late Lord Glenavy was chairman, and which included the late Sir James Percy and Sir Maurice Dockrell and Sir John Lumsden, son of the man who founded the first golf club in Dublin (Royal Dublin), which had its original course near the Magazine Fort in the Phœnix Park, worked hard to provide the citizens with a course in the Park. After four years the Board of Works drafted a lease of 125 acres in the Park, close to the Hibernian Military School, at an annual rental of £120. We appealed to the citizens for £4,000 to complete the scheme, but did not receive one penny!

What Dr. Keogh said at Kilcroney is true, but is there now the demand in Dublin for public golf that seemingly there was not when we were wasting our time week after week ten years ago? It will be worth finding out if there is, and before long I hope to get together representatives of employers and workers of the city, as Dr. Keogh also suggested, and have the subject discussed. Men like Alderman Byrne, I know, are anxious to see the movement revived. It will be interesting to note how the public take to it. Apart from the benefits which public golf would confer on the masses, the provision of a public golf course in the Phœnix Park would be a considerable asset to the city as a holiday resort. It would, in fact, place the capital on a footing with all the big English, Scottish and Welsh cities.

Dublin Teams in Soccer Final

SHAMROCK R. ... 4 DISTILLERY ... 2

Shamrock Rovers and Bohemians yesterday qualified for the final of the North v. South tournament, the first match of which will be played at Windsor Park, Belfast, on Saturday, and the return at Dalymount Park, Dublin, on Sunday.

Belfast "soccer" enthusiasts will thus have the distinct novelty of watching two Dublin teams play a final on one of their local grounds.

Yesterday evening's match at Dalymount Park was most disappointing. For the first quarter of an hour Distillery tired very hard to reduce the 2-0 lead taken by Rovers in Belfast, but, while they played good football, their efforts at scoring were feeble, and when, after nineteen minutes, Delaney whipped up a centre from Eglinton in front of Hinton and lashed the ball through, the "life" went out of the game. Rovers, playing capital football fore and aft, led at the interval 3-0. Whatever chance Distillery had vanished when, after twenty-six minutes of the second half, Eglinton crashed through Rovers second. In the last six minutes or so four simple goals were scored—T. Clarke and Coad for Rovers and Bradford and Drury for Distillery. It was a listless game all through the second half.

The gate was £440.

BOHEMIANS ... 1 BELFAST CELTIC 0

At Windsor Park Belfast, Bohemians won on the aggregate of 3-2. They were faster than Belfast Celtic, but there was little in the game. M. O'Flanagan scored the goal ten minutes into the interval. Some of the Bohemian players were showing signs of fatigue in the closing stages, and Celtic made a strong effort to arrest defeat.

Gate receipts were £313.

To-day—Drumcondra v. Rugby Players' XI., Tolka Park, 7.0.

Inter-Club Win for Trinity

Dublin University A had an easy win in the A.A.U.E. inter-club relay meeting in College Park last evening. All the track events, with the exception of the 4 x 220 yards, went to the home club, and, with the valuable assistance of J. N. Horan, they were also first in the shot. Civil Service scored two wins on the track, J. Conway's first leg in the 4 x 220 being the foundation of that success, while E. Peard went right away from J. W. T. Tuckey in the last quarter to come home first in the middle team race, but Trinity, finishing 2, 3 and 5, took first place in that event.

In the last race of the meeting, 4 x 440 yards, J. Rutherford had to concede about 15 yards on the last leg, but made a splendid recovery to take the lead coming into the straight and win by 10 yards. The final placings were—Dublin University A, 38 points; Civil Service, 26 points; Donore Harriers, 17 points; Dublin University B, 10 points; Crusaders, 6 points. Details:—

4 x 110 Yards—Dublin University A (D. A. Roche, T. McIlroy, F. Marshall, G. F. Sayers), 1; Dublin University B, 2; Civil Service, 3; Donore Harriers, 4. Time: 46.3 secs. Won by ½ yards.

4 x 220 Yards—Civil Service (J. Conway, J. King, L. Beusey, N. de Chenu), 1; Dublin University B, 2; Donore Harriers, 3; Dublin University A, 4. Time: 1m. 26 secs. Won by 15 yards.

4 x 440 Yards—Dublin University A (F. Tuckey, G. A. Mitchell, J. O'N. Mulcahy, A. Rutherford), 1; Civil Service 2; Crusaders, 3; Donore Harriers, 4. Time: 3 mins. 38.4 secs. Won by 10 yds.

4 x 880 Yards—Dublin University A (J. W. T. Tuckey, T. Tyrrell, A. Rutherford, W. G. Hare), 1; Civil Service, 2; Crusaders, 3; Dublin University B, 4. Time: 8 mins 28 secs. Won easily.

Mile Team Race—Dublin University, 2, 3, 5=10 pts. 1; Civil Service, 1, 6, 7 =14 pts., 2; Crusaders, 35 pts., 3; Dublin University B, 99 pts., 4. Individual winner, E. Peard (Civil Service). Time: 4 mins. 46.3 secs. Won by 12 yds.

High Jump—Donore Harriers, 11ft. 2ins. (R. O'Rafferty 5ft. 9ins., J. Sweeney 5ft. 5ins.), 1; Dublin Univ. A, 10ft. 8ins. 2; Civil Service, 10ft. 3ins., 3.

Long Jump—Donore Harriers, 38ft. 2½ins. (R. O'Rafferty 19ft. 5½ins., J. Sweeney 18ft. 9¾in.), 1; Civil Service, 37ft. 11½ins., 2; Dublin University A, 35ft. 8ins., 3.

16lbs. Shot—Dublin University A 76ft. 3ins. (L. N. Horan 42ft. 11½ins., Wallace 33ft. 3½ins.) 1; Civil Service, 65ft. 5½ins., 2; Donore Harriers, 63ft. 4ins., 3; Dublin University B, 58ft. 6ins. 4.

Discus—Dublin University A, 218ft. 10½ins. (L. N. Horan 115ft. 5ins., A. W. O'Connor 103ft. 5½ins.), 1; Dublin University B, 170ft. 4ins., 2; Civil Service, 164ft. 2ins., 3; Donore Harriers, 150ft. 11½ins. 4.

NEWMARKET RESULTS

11.0 — **APPRENTICE HANDICAP**, £148. 7 f.—**Sir Edward,** br. g. by Rhodes Scholar—Divine Lady (Hon. G. Lambton), 4, 9-12 (D. Cooper) (11/2), 1; **Spectrum,** 3, 6-9 (Pickford) (4/1), 2; **Valiant Friar,** 4, 7-12 (P. Boyter) (10/1), 3. Peace Offering (fav.) 4, Maid, Fearless Highlander, School for Botany, Davy Dolittle, Real Estate, The Warren, Chancer, Sirdarshah, Winco, Lambton. 2l.; 1½l. 1 m. 26 4-5 secs.

11.30—**SPRING T.Y.O. STAKES,** £258. 5 f.—**Fickle Jean,** b. f. by William of Valence—Femme d'Amour (Mr. E. Robson), 8-6 (Carey) (20/1), 1; **Night in Bombay,** 8-9 (Lowrey) (11/2), 2; **Saucy Sally,** 8-6 (Weavers) (9/2), 3. Dancing Goddess, 4, Crimson Lake, William of Stratford, Layalpur (fav.), Borealis, Roman Wings, Chaud-Froid, Ocean Swell, Rondel, Eton Blue, Lady of State, Hardwick, Gaskell. 2l.; 1½l. 60 1-5 secs.

12.0—**PAMPISFORD T.Y.O. STAKES,** £298. 5 f.—**Knight's Daughter,** b. or br. f. by Sir Cosmo—Feola (King George), 8-9 (D. Smith) (33/1), 1; **Moon Mistress,** 8-9 (C. Richards) (7/2), 2; **Bois Vista,** 8-9 (Stephenson) (6/4, fav.), 3. Liberty 4, Winter Sport, Star of Persia, Farmington, Silver Mount f., Am Hlana, Subrosa, Gulabi, Chrysalis, Near Future, Siesta, Torch, King's Pleasure, Bibijan, Lafayette, Solar Star f., Superiority, Foxfuline f. Boyd-Rochfort. 1l.; same. 60 4-5 secs.

12.40—**NEW 1,000 GUINEAS,** £1,273. 1 m.

Herringbone, b. f. by King Salmon—Schiaparelli (Lord Derby), 9-0 H. Wragg 1

Ribbon (Lord Rosebery), 9-0..R. Smith 2

Cincture (Lord Durham), 9-0.W. Nevett 3

Open Warfare 4, Why Hurry 5, Noontide, Samovar, Tidworth, Capital Entry, Shining Light, Molly Maureen, Bell Agnes, Earl.

6/4 agst. Ribbon, 7/1 Shining Light, 15/2 Herringbone, 8/1 Tidworth, 9/1 Open Warfare, 100/7 Cincture, Why Hurry, and Samovar; 100/6 Capital Entry, 25/1 Noontide, 40/1 Molly Maureen, 100/1 Bell Agnes. Neck; 1¼l. 1 min. 41 secs.

1.10—**MELDRETH HANDICAP,** £197. 1 m.—**Bahermah,** b. c. by Bahram—Taj Shirin (Aga Khan), 7-6 (E. O'Neill) (20/1), 1; **Brush Off,** 8-6 (Simpson) (20/1), 2; **Paper Boy,** 9-1 (G. Richards) (7/2), 3; Corner Boy 4, Big Sam, Dinorama, Prince Igor (fav.), Kinglet, Solebay, Moonstone, Admiral's Luck, Bronze Beauty, Pontoon, Lysander, Rowney Prince, Sunnymead, Morplay. Frank Butters. Neck; 1¼l. 1 min. 41 1-5 secs.

1.40—**HAUGHLEY H'CAP,** £297. 1 m. 6 f. 150 yds.—**Seasick,** b. c., by Fairway—Jiffy (Lord Rosebery), 4, 8-9 (E. Smith) (7/4 fav.), 1; **Paint Pot,** 4, 7-1 (Richardson) (5/1), 2; **Germanicus,** a. 9-11 (Jones) (10/1), 3; Quartier-Maitre 4, Paradise Club, Bygone Days, Hay Hill, Roadside, J. Jarvis. Neck; 1¼l. 3 mins. 8 4-5 secs.

GALWAY STAKES TO BE INCREASED

At a meeting of Galway Race Committee, presided over by Mr. J. S. Young, chairman, it was decided to increase the stakes in all fourteen races this year. The committee added two extra races to the programme last year to make a card of seven events each day, and, consequently, the stakes in some races were reduced.

Mr. T. Kelly Clerk of the Course, reported that he had walked the course, and had found it in perfect condition.

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Site of New Cattle Market and Abattoir

The City Manager and Town Clerk (Mr. P. J. Hernon) is to be urged to call a conference of the many interested bodies to discuss the question of Dublin's proposed new cattle market and abattoir site. The conference would be constituted of representatives of the Dublin Port and Docks Board, the Irish Cattlemen's Association, the cross-Channel shipping companies, the railway companies associated carriers, the Hide and Offal Association, Dublin master victuallers, the Department of Agriculture, employés generally, and the Dublin Corporation.

It is suggested that the terms of reference include abattoir facilities generally, suitability of location, feasibility of erection, including laying-out of abattoir, market, pens, stores, cooling sheds, hide and offal handling sections, and the general requirements for, and development of, internal and external cattle, sheep and swine trade, and ancillary meat and food trades.

The proposal will be put forward by Mr. James Larkin at a special meeting of the City Council next Monday. The Council will be asked to reconsider the resolution passed at the beginning of the month to acquire the estate in Blackhorse lane, and it will be suggested that the resolution be not acted upon pending the summoning of the conference.

Some years ago the Town Clerk and City Architect agreed at a conference with the Port Board that a North Wall site would be the most suitable.

The Town Planning Committee is opposed to the North Wall site on the grounds of expense and the dislocation of existing industry to provide sufficient area.

Following the Corporation meeting, the Port Board met, when Alderman M. O'Sullivan stated that the City Council's decision was reached under a "complete misunderstanding" and that steps would be taken to have the matter reopened. The East Wall or North Wall were suggested as suitable sites.

Fall in Dublin Cattle Prices

Fat cattle prices on the Dublin market have shown a downward trend for some weeks past, and there was a further drop of 2s. per cwt. yesterday. Supplies were smaller than previously, but, with few export buyers in evidence, local victuallers had matters much their own way, and beasts which realised close on 80s. per cwt. a month ago were sold at 75s. yesterday.

As stated in last Monday's *Irish Times*, Dublin butchers are being badly hit as a result of the potato shortage. They are not buying on the Dublin Cattle Market to any extent, and this reluctancy on their part is reflected in the downward trend in prices. Also, there is virtually no buying for Northern Ireland.

Car Stolen to Remove Haul Allegation

Hugh Gavan (40), of Upper Clanbrassil street; Hugh Kiernan (22), Mount Drummond avenue, Harold's Cross; William Lavery (21), no fixed address, and Thomas O'Neill (22), Upper Clanbrassil street, Dublin, who were charged with conspiring to break into Lynch's drapery premises, 62 Lower Camden street, and of stealing goods value £318; and George Jacobs (35), Harcourt terrace, Dublin, who was charged with receiving a number of suit lengths, were remanded on bail by District Justice Delap (4) and Mr. Lewis (8), 4 and 3; F. T. Twamley (9) and W. J. Williamson (9) lost to A. Morris (6) and D. H. Meredith (8), 1 up.

Skerries, 3; Portmarnock, 2.—At Portmarnock—G. H. Owens (scr.) and K. Harrington (15) lost to B. Herlihy (4) and T. Woods (6), 3 and 2; J. McGowan (4) and P. R. Fanning (14) beat G. Murnaghan (9) and J. St. J. Pike (12), 1 up; R. Hogan (9) and F. White (13) lost to N. Cuddy (8) and G. Nash (14), 5 and 4. At Skerries—H. Mullally (8) and F. Hyder (9) beat C. Stack (6) and R. J. Williamson (9), 2 and 1; Morris (6) and W. Maguire (18) beat H. Keogh (7) and J. E. Fitzgerald (10), 2 and 1.

Draw for semi-finals (on or before June 2)—Woodbrook (3) v. Newlands; Carlow (3) v. Skerries.

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360 YARDS—Lone Game (3), 2/1, 1; Honest Romance (5) 5/1, 2; Ballyallinan Boy (2) 11/8, 3; Diplomacy (6), 10/1, 4; Lipstown Breeze (1), 6/1, 5. 3l.; 2l. 20.83. Owner (Master P. Redmond).

525 YARDS—Down in the Dee (6), 4/5, 1; Jubilee Peach (4), 4/1, 2; Eugene's Pet (1), 9/1, 3; Ballybough Girl (2), 6/1, 4; Lindisfarne Hope (5), 6/1, 5; Cauth Aroon (3), 10/1, 6. 8l.; 5l. 30.75. Davis. (Miss T. O'Doherty.).

525 YARDS—Justonniger (1), 5/2, 1; Sherwood Ranger (3), 6/1, 2; Volcur's Destiny (2), 6/1, 3; Typical Rowley (5), 6/1, 4; Mountain End (4), 5/2, 5; Scoundrel (6), 7/2, 6. 3l.; 4l. 31.25. Owner (Mr. J. S. Nelson).

525 YARDS—Come Away Valiant (2), 7/2, 1; Lone Admiral (5), 7/4, 2; Darcy McGee (3), 7/2, 3; Knocknthuber (1), 4/1, 4; Twisted Row (6), 6/1, 5; Another Junta (4), 8/1, 6. 2½l.; same. 30.64. Owner (Mr. V. McEvoy).

525 YARDS—Blasket Man (5), 3/1, 1; El Pico (3), 4/1, 2; Better Future (4), 4/5, 3; Cockleshell Road (2), 6/1, 4; Irish Dollar (1), 7/1, 5. Sht. hd.; 3l. 31.23. Owner (Mr. T. Brick).

525 YARDS—Lady Riot (5), 10/1, 1; Lobengula (3), 3/1, 2; Nella (4), 10/11, 3; Pretty Fleety (4), 5/2, 4; Jim's Eleanor (6) 10/1, 5; Kylock Wings (1), 10/1, 6. 4l.; same. 31.80. Owner (Mrs L. Woods).

HAROLD'S CROSS CARD

525 YDS.—Ducat, Hetty Alannah, Dusk Molly, **Foam Crest,** Kilafana Lass, Celbridge Racer, Newhill Defender, Range Finder.

525 YDS.—Doonshean Together, Celbridge Riot, Pale Fox, Sneem Lad, Bright Riot, Fox Dancer, Marvellous Move, Dontheatit.

500 YDS.—Morgage Darkie, Fine Decision, Egyptian Tower, Bruiser's Glory, Vesington Queen, **Kilbannon,** Fianna Again, The Tortoise.

525 YDS.—Cloughvone, Double Run **Man from Burnhide,** Shankill Street Boy, Victory Girl, Crohill Side, Princess Chrysanthemum, Balao.

500 YDS. HERRINGBONES—Coolmain Sandbank, **Royal Admiral,** Brown Stout, Blue Miss, Reckless Monarch, White Lane.

350 YDS.—Lawyer's Cure, Loon Champion, Powder Patch, **Rebel Ranger,** Rebel Creamery, Littleton Glory.

525 YDS.—Fawn Moon, Bright Palm, Neutral, Kilgowan, Long Lane Meadow **Border Kid,** Lawyer's Retreat, Black Market Girl.

MULCAHY AND O'CONNOR MAY BE MATCHED

It is probable that a bout will be fixed in the near future between Pat Mulcahy and Pat O'Connor to take place in Dublin. This will be in the middleweight division, which is undoubtedly Mulcahy's best weight. O'Connor would be a big attraction here after his recent unexpected win in London over Ernie Roderick.

SMALL PRICES FOR BLOODSTOCK

There was nothing of much note in the bloodstock offered for sale at Newmarket yesterday, and the eighteen lots disposed of realised only 1,973 guineas. Highest price was 400 guineas, paid by Mr. H. Nutt for the three-year-old filly Solar Plexus, by Solario—Thrustaway.

YACHTING

In a splendid finish, Penelope (R. B. Norris) won the captain's prize of the Bar Club last evening, beating Phyllis (Lt.-Cdr. W. McFerran) by 15 secs. on the line. Vega (Miss Armstrong) was third and Molly Maureen and Nandor next in a field of 14. Club prizes on handicap went to Nandor, Maureen and Vega.

Developing the Holiday Resorts

The Irish Tourist Board has been specially urged by the Government to proceed with the utmost rapidity with plans for the development of holiday resorts, to remove local difficulties, acquire land, and to have all the construction work possible done with available materials.

This was disclosed by the Minister for Industry and Commerce in the Dail yesterday, when an estimate of £5,500 for the Board was adopted. Mr. Lemass added that the Portmarnock Strand scheme was only the first stage of a much larger scheme of development.

The House passed votes of £1,975 for the Railway Tribunal; £19,111 for the Marine Services, and £800,037 for Unemployment Insurance and Assistance.

The Labour Party's attitude towards taxation was outlined to the Dail yesterday on the Appropriation Bill by Mr. W. Davin (Leix-Offaly), who said that they did not object to increasing taxation in order to improve the social services, but they did object to increasing taxation in order to maintain increasing numbers in idleness while there was plenty of work.

Limerick Gas Engineer's Position

In the *Irish Times* of March 11 last, there was published a report of a meeting of Limerick Corporation in which it was stated: "Mr. J. J. Berkery, Limerick City Manager, announced at last night's meeting of Limerick Corporation that he had terminated the services of Mr. F. K. Thomas, gas engineer, as from April 1 next. Replying to a question by the Mayor (Mr. D. J. O'Malley, solicitor), the Manager said he had been considering the position regarding the production of gas for some months past, and had recently put one of the foremen in charge of production. This resulted in considerably greater quantity of gas being produced, despite the fact that the quality of coal was slightly worse than the coal used prior to the foreman's appointment. The Department had been fully informed of the action which he (Manager) had taken."

Messrs. Philip J O'Sullivan and Son, solicitors, 88 O'Connell street, Limerick, subsequently informed us that a settlement of proceedings for slander issued by them in the High Court, on behalf of Mr. F. K. Thomas, Limerick City Gas Engineer, against Mr. J. J. Berkery had been arrived at, providing *inter alia* for the publication of the following letter:—

"Office of the City Manager and Town Clerk,
"Town Hall, Limerick,
3rd May, 1943.

"Dear Mr. Thomas,—With reference to the report which I made to the City Council, at the request of the Mayor on the 9th March last, I desire to say, as indicated by the statement which I personally gave to the local Press on the 12th March last, I did not at any time intend to make, nor do I now make, any reflection of incompetence against you, either by imputation or implication, and I would have no ground for doing so. I regret if any false impression has resulted from the report which I made to the City Council or through the form in which that report received subsequent publication, which was not previously approved by me.

"You may give this letter such publication as you desire.—Yours sincerely,

"James J. Berkery,
"City Manager."

FOOD MARKETS

DUBLIN CATTLE.—Supplies slightly smaller—12z., 1,473 head. Opening sales proved slow, and salesmasters were obliged to accept less money to attract business. Best heifers 70/- to 73/-, medium 68/- to 71/-, secondary sorts 63/- to 67/-, rougher 60/- to 62/-; young beef cows 55/- to 60/-, useful types 44/- to 54/-, aged, etc., 30/- to 40/-, and bulls 42/- to 51/- per live cwt. As compared with corresponding market last year prices show an increase of 6/- to 7/- per cwt.

PIGS.—Market totalled 893 head being 247 less than last day. Trade sharper and clearance effected. Prime quality hogs 125/-, secondary 110/-, sows 90/- per cwt. (controlled prices); slips and bonhams slow at 25/- to 55/- per head.

SHEEP AND LAMBS.—Best wethers in wool 1/7 to 1/8, clips 1/5 to 1/6; ewes in wool 1/5 to 1/6, clips 1/4 to 1/5, and lambs 35/- to 75/- per head, according to class.

DAIRY CATTLE.—On offer 218 head, or 103 less than last week. There was a sharper and dearer trade for the better classes, while secondary animals cleared slowly. Best cows and heifers £40 to £42 10/-, secondary £22 to £28, others £16 to £20 per head.

PROVISIONS.

DUBLIN VEGETABLE.—Light mid-week supply cleared early at: York cabbage, large 40/- to 70/-, small 20/- to 44/-; hard cauliflowers 8/6, seconds 5/- to 7/6, leaf lettuce 4d. to 1/- dozen; rhubarb 3/- to 5/- dozen bundles; scallions 1/6 to 2/6 bunch; new potatoes 2d. mushrooms 4/- per lb.; and gooseberries 7/- to 9/- chip.

DUBLIN POTATO.—Old crop scarce and finishing at 10/6 per cwt. ex store controlled rate. No market for new crop on Wednesday.

DUBLIN FISH.—Supplies included 133 boxes from one trawler, and a fairly large amount from country senders. Demand slow in the main at: Lobsters 8/- to 35/- per lb., salmon 21/- to 2/9, soles, black 1/- to 2/5, lemon 1/- turbot 1/2 to 1/9, brill 9d. to 1/10 per lb.; herrings 22/6 to 37/6, mackerel 22/6 to 32/6, plaice 9d. to 10/-, dabs 15/- to 30/-, whiting 23/- to 97/-, cod 35/- to 135/-, codling 60/- to 90/-, ray 17/6 to 40/-, pollock 40/- to 60/-, while soles 55/- to 116/-, dogfish 10/- to 12/6, ling 30/- to 40/-, gurnard 15/-, haddock 45/- to 80/-, hake 85/- to 147/-, prawns 18/- to 23/-, and monkfish 70/- box.

GRIMSBY FISH.—Lemon soles and plaice 15/3, hake 9/3, haddocks, sprags, codling, whiting, codfish, cod and catfish (heads on) 7/-, smoked haddocks 14/- per stone.

WALL STREET

NEW YORK, Wednesday.—The market continued to advance, with the Rails again leading, and considerably more active than the Industrials. Some profit-taking trimmed gains near the close, but the list gathered momentum, and reached the best prices for the day.

A few high-grade stocks added more than two points, and the market closed firm. The turnover of 1,322,000 shares comprised 532 issues, of which 356 advanced, 157 declined, and 219 remained unchanged.—(

PUBLIC AMUSEMENTS

GAIETY THEATRE
Nightly 7.30. Matinée Saturday, 2.30.
DUBLIN MUSICAL SOCIETY presents
JOHN TURNER in
"BLOSSOM TIME."
Music by Franz Schubert.
——NEXT WEEK ——
THE RATHMINES AND RATHGAR MUSICAL SOCIETY presents
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Booking Open Daily, 10 a.m. to 9 p.m.

ABBEY THEATRE.
TO-NIGHT AT 7.30.
"FRIENDS AND RELATIONS."
By St. John Ervine.
(Last Week of Season.)

AMHARCLANN NA MAINISTREACH.
Dia Domhnaigh agus Dia Luain 30adh agus 31adh de Bhealtaine ar 7.30 p.m.
Leiriu deiridh an tSeisoin
AN TRAONA SAN MHOINFHEAR,
Drama nua tri-ghniomh le Seamus de Faoite.
Airithint suidheachan o'n a 10.30 go dti 6.

GATE LONGFORD PRODUCTIONS.
To-night and To-morrow at 7.30 p.m.
Matinee, Saturday 2.30 p.m.
"PATRICK SARSFIELD."
By Christine Longford.

QUEENS —Spectacular New Musical Comedy Show.
IRISH O'REILLY in "HAPPINESS AHEAD No. 5," with Cast of Favourites.
At 4.30 and 7.15. Screen: CESAR ROMERO in "A GENTLEMAN AT HEART." Showing at 3.15, 6.10 and 9.20.

METROPOLE To-day, at 2.45, 4.55, 7.5, 9.15.
TYRONE POWER, MAUREEN O'HARA, George Sanders and Thomas Mitchell,
"THE BLACK SWAN"

GRAFTON LAST DAY
2.30, 4.45, 6.55, 9.5.
RALPH RICHARDSON, EDNA BEST in
"SOUTH RIDING."
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2.5, 4.15, 6.25, 8.35.
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BOOK NOW FOR SUNDAY NIG'HT.

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SONJA HENIE—JOHN PAYNE.
"KATINA."
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"SING YOUR WORRIES AWAY."

CORINTHIAN
Today at 3.31, 6.13, 8.55.
Bob Crosby, Jerry Colonna, Sis Hopkins
A Novel Revival.

ASTORIA IN LAOGHAIRE.
At 3.20, 6.12, 9.10.
Wilfrid Lawson in
THE NIGHT HAS EYES."
7.58 p.m.—Jack Benny in
Merry-Go-Round."

GREEN 4.0—6.35, 9.10—Basil Rathbone, Vic McLaglen, Karloff, Lugosi, "BLACK Deanna Durbin, "NICE BLACK CAT."
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CINEMA. 7.10, 9.15.
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9 Stars and 46 Feature Players in
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TO-MORROW (FRIDAY)—
Dramatic True-life Story of the War.
ROBERT FAY LARAINE
YOUNG BAINTER DAY in
"JOURNEY FOR MARGARET."

CARLTON At 2.30, 4.35, 6.40 & 9.5.
Last Day! "MEN OF DESTINY."
TO-NIGHT at 8—FINAL ROUND OF "Double Quiz" Question Time Contest.
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WORK OF HOWTH PARISH COUNCIL.

A meeting of subscribers to the funds of Howth Parish Council was held at the Town Hall, Howth, on May 24 to receive a report of the work of the Council since its inauguration in August, 1940. Mr. E. Reid (chairman) presided.

Food and fuel were purchased against an emergency. The food, being perishable, was disposed of to local traders, and the fuel was sold in small quantities to meet the needs of parishioners.

At the suggestion of the Very Rev. P. Clarke, P.P., a cooked meals centre was set up under the auspices of the Council in 1941. Miss Gaisford St. Lawrence and a very efficient ladies' committee made an outstanding success of the cooked meals centre, as evidenced from the following figures: More than 19,500 helpings of food were produced for the general public, and, in addition, 8,455 dinners were prepared for necessitous school children at the request of Howth Urban Council.

WEDDING

Johnson—Moore. — The wedding took place on Tuesday last at Christ Church, Tramore, of Mr. Graham Joseph Johnson, son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Edward Johnson, Rock Savage, Cork, and Miss Gretta Rachel Moore, daughter of the late Mr. John Moore and of Mrs. Moore, Ocean View, Tramore. The Service was conducted by the Rev. Canon C. H. Strong (uncle of the bride), assisted by the Rev. Canon Staunton. The bride, who was given away by her brother, Mr. J. Daniel Moore, was attended by a matron-of-honour, Mrs. T. Briggs (sister of the bridegroom), and by three bridesmaids, the Misses Beth and Anna Moore and Rosemary Boardman. Mr. Samuel Moore was best man.

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IRISH WILLS

Mr. Joseph Anthony Cunningham, Naas, Co. Kildare, left £17,300. Major John Johnston Waite, 30 Sunningdale Park, Belfast, left £4,137. John Richard Holmes, retired company director, late of 14 Anglesea road, Donnybrook, Dublin, left £3,986. James Albert Smith, company director, late of "Richmond," Castle Park road, Glenageary, Co. Dublin, £2,630. John Alphonsus Kehoe, farmer, late of Rathvindon, Leighlinbridge, Co. Carlow, £2,572. John Ahern, farmer, late of Glenafana, Ballyhooley North, Ballyhooley, Co. Cork, £2,334.

Skerries Development. — The town's principal industry—the tourist industry—was discussed at a special meeting organised by the Skerries Development and Visitors' Association. Mr. D. J. O'Donovan (County Commissioner) emphasised the favoured position of Skerries as a result of the abolition of the system of separate charges, apart altogether from the general reduction of rates. That Association, he said, should make a bigger effort to provide amenities for visitors.

Irish Times

THURSDAY, MAY 27, 1943.

The General Election

In Dail Eireann yesterday afternoon the Taoiseach announced that polling for the general election will take place on June 22nd. Nominations will be received on June 9th. Thus the die has been cast. Although the great majority of the people had no desire for a general election, realising the unwisdom, if not the actual danger, of a political upheaval in the middle of a world war, Mr. de Valera has insisted that the ordinary constitutional procedure shall be followed, and that the elections shall be held as if such a thing as a world war never existed. Now that the decision has been taken, the people must make the best of it. In spite of transport and other difficulties, their duty is to make the fullest use of their franchises; and we hope sincerely that they will show more public spirit than has been shown on previous occasions when the number of abstentions has been lamentably great. Mr. de Valera has issued a bold challenge to his political opponents. He has refused point blank to avoid the risks and chances of a general election by the formation of a coalition Government, preferring to stand on his eleven years' record as head of a Fianna Fail Administration, and to ask the people for a further vote of confidence. Fianna Fail's record is not particularly imposing. Irish memories are long, and there still are people in the country who remember the iniquitous "economic war," the slaughter of calves, and a score of other instances of Fianna Fail's ineptitude; but it is evident that Mr. de Valera and his colleagues propose to ignore all these inconvenient memories and to try to focus the popular attention on the fact that Ireland has been kept out of the war. Neutrality, undoubtedly, is a popular policy; but it would be grossly unfair to both Fine Gael and to Labour to suggest that either of these parties would have taken an attitude different from that which was adopted at the outset of the war by Mr. de Valera. In fact, neutrality is probably the only issue on which politicians of all parties in this country are absolutely at one. Fianna Fail may gain a certain number of votes from those who fear that any change of government might endanger the country's attitude; but there is no ground whatever for such fears, and, as matters stand at present, Fine Gael and Labour are just as enthusiastic advocates of neutrality as the Taoiseach himself.

Neutrality must be regarded as *chose jugée*. It will not be an issue at the hustings. Indeed, the only real issue between the two big parties will be whether or not party government shall be perpetuated. Mr. de Valera insists that Ireland's chief hope of political salvation lies in the return to power of Fianna Fail. He is firmly convinced that he has a mission to rule and govern the Irish people, and that nobody else has the necessary qualities to replace him. This complete faith in himself has been the chief reason for Mr. de Valera's political success in the past, and his unchallenged domination over his Ministers would seem almost to justify his egoism. He will not compromise on the question of a coalition. Either he must have complete control, or he will not participate in the task of government. In justice to the Taoiseach, it must be admitted that he never has wavered on this point; to him a National Government would be a calamity, mainly because it would interfere with his personal authority. Fine Gael, on the other hand, has adopted the policy of a National Government as the principal plank in its election platform. If the party is returned to power at the polls it will not form a Government from its own ranks alone, but will mobilise the best men whom it can find in the country to help it in its task. In other words, it will put an end, for the time being, at all events, to purely party government in the twenty-six counties. The experiment has been tried with conspicuous success in other countries, notably in Great Britain; and those who advocate it here feel that the electorate has a unique opportunity to place Irish politics on an entirely new footing, getting rid of the old party feuds, and giving the country a chance to face an uncertain future with fresh confidence. Our conception of a National Government is an Administration in which Fianna Fail, Fine Gael, and even Labour would work harmoniously together; but Mr. de Valera has made it abundantly clear that he will not work in double harness with anybody. Unless, therefore, Fianna Fail secures a majority of seats over all the other parties combined, there probably will be another general election before the end of the present year. The alternative is that Fine Gael should secure a clear majority, in which case Mr. Cosgrave will proceed to set up a National Government, inviting Messrs. de Valera and Norton to work with him at least until the end of the "emergency."

Railway Reform?

What are these mysterious plans for the reorganisation of the Great Southern Railways system? Yesterday, the Minister for Industry and Commerce told Dail Eireann that the company was in a helpless position, and that private enterprise was no longer capable of coming to the rescue. If the company is to survive at all, said Mr. Lemass, there must be a vast reorganisation of its methods of working and a complete modernising of its equipment. The Government is working upon plans to secure these ends—plans which, as the Minister hinted, will not be lacking in ambition and comprehensiveness—but he cannot guarantee that even this radical treatment will be successful. His speech will be read with some anxiety. The many shareholders of the G.S.R. Company, who have gained sadly little benefit from their holdings during the past twenty years and more, will derive little encouragement to hope that their lot will be improved under the new dispensation. The thousands of employés will have equal cause for worry; Mr. Lemass appeals for their "co-operation"—a term which, when used as he used it yesterday, suggests that a fair number of them will find themselves "redundant." That, together with an indication that traffic rates will rise, is the only matter-of-fact clue that the Minister gives to the nature of his Government's plans. He says that they are not yet complete, and will be submitted to Dail Eireann after the general election—presumably, if the present Government is then in power. We cannot do more than guess at their nature. It is clear that reorganisation of some kind is necessary; we must hope that, whatever form it takes, it will be effective. The circumstances of to-day, of course, are wholly abnormal, and the experiences of 1943 are no guide to the necessities of the future. Yet reorganisation was overdue even before the war. A half-hearted attempt had been made to avert the peril of cut-throat competition between road and rail transport, but it was frankly an emergency expedient rather than a long-term reform. It did not go far enough; it did not seek to create a genuine "system," under which road and rail would complement, instead of supplementing, each other. Certain main railway lines are indispensable to this country: there is no substitute for them. There still are hundreds of miles of railway, however, which serve no useful purpose, but are a burden and an expense. They ought to be closed ruthlessly, and their place ought to be taken by road services, connecting the remotest villages with the principal stations of the surviving main lines. This manifest reform cannot be effected at present—indeed, we do not see what remedy Mr. Lemass and his advisers can submit for the immediate troubles of the Great Southern Company—but it can be effected as soon as a sufficiency of fuel enters the country again; and the time to consider the details is now. We hope that this pruning of the railway system, this creation of a new harmony between the rival forms of transport, will form the basis of the Government's plans, thus darkly hinted.

THE Earl of Belmore arrived in Dublin yesterday from Castlecoole, Enniskillen.

Lady Rathdonnell, who arrived in Dublin during the week from England, has left for Rathvilly, County Carlow.

Colonel Plunkett has arrived in Dublin from England, and is staying at the Royal Hibernian Hotel.

Mrs. Boyd-Rochfort, who has arrived in Dublin from Castletowngeoghegan, is staying at the Shelbourne Hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold-Barry have arrived in Dublin from County Kilkenny.

Mr. William Teeling has arrived at Lucan House from England.

Miss MacMurrough Kavanagh, Borris House, Carlow, is now in Essex.

Captain Blont has arrived from England, and is staying in County Kildare.

The marriage arranged between Benjamin E. Connor, 4 Castle street, Enniscorthy, and Emily G. Franklin, 2 Oakland Drive, Rathgar, will take place in Zion Church, Rathgar, on June 16th.

Switzers have received a delivery of smart Jumpers with neat-fitting collar and breast pocket, in shades of Royal, Saxe, Sky, Navy, Crimson, Scarlet and Primrose. The price, with short sleeves, is 29/6, and with long sleeves, 39/6. Stock size only. (3 coupons each garment.)

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THE SUN.

	To-day.	To-morrow.
Rises	5.10	5. 9
Sets	9.35	9.37
Lighting-up Time	10.35	10.37

HIGH WATER AT DUBLIN.

	To-day.	To-morrow.
Morning	6.34	7.50
Evening	6.32	8.40

AT OTHER PORTS

	Morning.	Evening.
Ballina	—	1.45
Drogheda	6.22	7.20
Dundalk	6.19	7.17
Limerick	1.13	2. 5
Sligo	—	1.27
Waterford	1. 5	1.35
Westport	—	1.25

Three-Card Trick. — Thomas Craig, horse dealer, and Thomas Roche, labourer, both of Coombe street, Dublin, were bound to keep the peace for two years, by District Justice Lennon, in Dublin yesterday, for playing the three-card trick at Harold's Cross greyhound racing track last Friday night.

More Bonus Orders.—The following further bonus orders were announced yesterday:—Juveniles of all categories employed in the 'bus and road freight department of the Great Southern Railways, 2/6 per week from December 1 last; horse van and motor drivers, members of the Irish Transport Workers' Union, employed in the dyeing and cleaning industry in Dublin, 5/- from March 26 last.

COMMERCIAL TRAINING.
Morning, Afternoon and Night Classes at ROSSE COLLEGE, 65 Stephen's Green, Dublin.—(Advt.)

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

HOSPITAL BEDS

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.

SIR,—In reply to a statement issued by the Hospitals' Commission, I beg to have the full facts of the Enniskerry incident brought to light. The facts are:—

(1) At approximately 9.45 p.m. on Saturday last I arrived at St. Michael's Hospital with a patient with severe head injury. I was informed that no bed was available in that hospital.

(2) The Hospital Bed Bureau was then called upon to supply a bed. Their reply to the R.M.O., St. Michael's, was that no bed was available, but that they would make inquiries.

(3) Monkstown Hospital was then called up, but they had no bed. Speaking to them, they told me that they had previously been rung up by the Bed Bureau for a bed for my patient.

(4) During all this time the patient was in the ambulance, and was not admitted until after she had received an injection in the ambulance at approximately 10.10. Finally, at 10.15 she was admitted to St. Michael's. I might assert that this was a compliment, and the staff in St. Michael's had to go to countless bother to procure a bed.

(5) It has been asserted that the cause of the delay was a certain amount of red-tape as regards the origin of the patient, coming from Co. Wicklow. This is not correct, and at no time did the question arise.

Summing up, I would say that from approximately 9.50 until the time that I left St. Michael's Hospital, at approximately 10.15, no reply to my knowledge had come from the Bed Bureau, and I was not informed that a bed had been procured in Baggot Street Hospital. Therefore, it will be seen that at the time that the Bed Bureau was rung up they had to make inquiries which I myself could have made if I wanted to waste time. This is a deplorable fact, and I think it requires the immediate attention of the Hospitals' Commission.—Yours, etc.,

LOUIS L. HICKIE, M.B.
Enniskerry, Co. Wicklow,
May 26th, 1943.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.

SIR,—In your leading article dealing with hospital beds you have mentioned that the epidemic of diseases in the city last winter was due to bad housing conditions, insufficient innoculation, and so on. You have omitted what may prove to be a very serious danger—the filthy condition of those air raid shelters which have no doors. There is little use in having notices warning parents to have their children immunised against diphtheria pasted on the outside if the inside is a hotbed of germs.

Steps ought to be taken to have these shelters cleaned, disinfected, and doors fitted, or there may be much more overcrowding in the fever hospitals in a short time.—Yours, etc.,

(Rev.) J. BLACKWELL.
St. Luke's Rectory,
South Circular road.

IRELAND'S FUTURE

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.

SIR,—The question of the future political status of Ireland is one of transcendent importance for every inhabitant of this country. On it will depend our post-war relations with Great Britain and the United States, and on it will depend our place in the new economic order of a regionalised Europe which is even now being planned. The subject is one in regard to which Mr. de Valera is wont to display a certain reticence at election times—understandably, in view of the moderate vote. But his declared policy is the establishment of a Republic for the whole of Ireland, and his party describes itself as the Republican Party.

Yesterday as Thurles Mr. de Valera said: "The national objective has been attained so far as the twenty-six counties are concerned, and now we have to work so as to get for the whole thirty-two counties the same freedom that we enjoy here." No hint is given of the method by which the "freedom that we enjoy here" is to be extended to the inhabitants of Northern Ireland, nor whether they are to be consulted as to whether they want it or not. But, in stating that "the national objective" (i.e., the Republic) has been attained in the rest of the country, Mr. de Valera is demonstrably in error.

1. By the Treaty of 1921, which was duly registered at Geneva, Ireland became a member of the British Commonwealth of Nations. This Treaty, though no longer part of our municipal law, subsists until it is denounced by either party to it. It has never been so denounced, and it remains the base of our constitutional pyramid, whether the superstructure is that of 1922 or that of 1937.

2. On the 29th December, 1937, it was formally announced that the Governments of the United Kingdom, Canada, Australia, New Zealand and South Africa were prepared to treat the new Constitution "as not effecting a fundamental alteration in the position of the Irish Free State as a member of the British Commonwealth of Nations." If Mr. de Valera did not agree with this view he presumably would have said so. He was silent, however.

3. Letters of credence of our diplomatic representatives in foreign capitals are signed by the King, and the letters of credence of foreign diplomats accredited here are addressed to the King.

4. On the 25th April, 1938, the three Treaty ports were given over to Irish control. This was effected by formal Agreement, Mr. de Valera being the first signatory on the Irish side. The operative clause runs: "The provisions of Articles 6 and 7 of the Articles of Agreement for a Treaty between Great Britain and Ireland, signed on the 6th day of December, 1921, and of the Annex thereto shall cease to have effect." In common sense, as well as in law, the plain implication is that the remaining articles of the Treaty are valid and of full effect. Article 1 of the Treaty begins: "Ireland shall have the same constitutional status in the Community of Nations known as the British Empire as the Dominion of Canada."

What, then, does Mr. de Valera mean when he states that "the national objective has been attained so far as the 26 counties are concerned"? Has he abandoned the Republic? Further, has he any constructive plan for producing a united Ireland? Or does he merely intend, when peace returns to the rest of the world, to plunge this country into a maelstrom again by a raging, tearing propaganda on the subject of partition? The electors are entitled to an answer on these vital questions, without evasion or nebulosity.—Yours, etc.,

DONAL O'SULLIVAN,
Cairn Hill, Foxrock,
Co. Dublin.
May 24th, 1943.

MR. MacENTEE'S FRIEND

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.

SIR,—I shall be greatly obliged if you can make public the fact that I have just written General R. Mulcahy, saying: "May I suggest a simple way in which your party would secure many votes from long-suffering tax-payers and insure your majority at the coming election? I suggest that you should promise to take all the necessary steps, at the earliest possible time, to make it obligatory for all members of the Dail and Senate to pay income tax on their salaries as such"?—Yours, etc.,

M. K. DIXON.
42 Elgin road, Ballsbridge.
May 24th, 1943.

ON THE WIRELESS

IRISH PROGRAMME

1.0-1.40—Radio Eireann Orchestra. **6.0**—"Siamsa Chois Teineadh"; Peadar O Dubhda. **6.25**—"Tir-Eoluiocht Staire". Muri O Dubhghaill. **6.40**—Stock Exchange, Sports Results, Official Announcements. **6.45**—News. **7.5**—"For the Housekeeper," featuring "Fuel-Saving Meals." **7.35**—"Cinema Organ." **7.55**—"Cheap Sale": Dramatic Monologue by B. G. McCarthy, read by Rita O'Dea. **8.10**—Radio Eireann Orchestra. **8.55**—Ralph Silvester. **9.15**—"Poor Projecting Pockrich!": The Story of an Irish Inventor, by Dr. R. Wyse Jackson. **9.35**—Mendelssohn: Letters, Songs and Music, presented by Leo Maguire, with Cecily Kenny and Jennie Reddin. **10.0**—Nuacht. **10.10**—News in English. **10.30**—"Opera in Brief": "Manon" (Massenet).

B.B.C. PROGRAMMES

Times given are Summer Time. Where Double Summer Time is in force add one hour.

HOME SERVICE.

6.0—News. **6.15**—Schubert. **6.30**—Exercises. **6.50**—Tune for To-day. **6.55**—"Lift up your Hearts". **7.0**—News. **7.15**—The Kitchen Front. **7.20**—"Take your choice." **8.0**—Orchestra. **8.45**—Sandy Macpherson. **9.5**—Schools. **9.15**—Service. **9.30**—Music while you work. **10.0**—Schools. **11.0**—Songs and Duets. **11.30**—Workers' Playtime. **12.0**—News. **12.15**—Geraldo. **1.0**—Schools. **2.0**—Music while you work. **2.30**—Welsh Music. **3.0**—Reginald Foort. **3.15**—"What I'm Reading Now." **3.30**—"They're the Tops." **4.0**—News in Welsh. **4.20**—Children's Hour. **5.0**—News. **5.30**—"To-day in Ulster"—**5.40**—"Action Stations." **6.10**—Symphony Orchestra. **7.0**—"The Anvil." **7.30**—"Itma." **8.0**—News. **8.25**—War Commentary. **8.40**—"Marching On." **9.10**—Service. **9.30**—"For the Armchair Detective." **9.40**—Orchestra. **10.10**—Orchestra. **11.0**—News.

ALTERNATIVE SERVICE.

5.30—"Reveille!" **6.0**—News. **6.15**—Schubert. **6.30**—Morning Review. **7.0**—News. **7.15**—The Kitchen Front. **7.20**—"Take Your Choice. **8.0**—Orchestra. **8.45**—Sandy Macpherson. **9.15**—"Flippant Fingers." **9.30**—Music while you work. **10.0**—Organ. **10.20**—"Dance while you dust." **11.0**—Orchestra. **11.30**—Workers' Playtime. **12.0**—News. **12.15**—Geraldo. **1.0**—Band. **1.30**—"Top-o'-the-Bill." **2.0**—Music while you work. **2.30**—Band. **3.0**—Radio Reconnaissance. **3.30**—Scottish Orchestra. **4.15**—"Navy Mixture." **5.0**—News. **5.30**—Red Cross Parts. **6.0**—American Sports. **6.5**—Variety. **6.30**—Ensa Half-hour. **7.0**—Band. **7.30**—Band. **8.0**—News. **8.25**—"Mail Call." **8.55**—Canadian News. **9.20**—Vera Lynn. **9.30**—Music while you work. **10.0**—Close down.

FRIENDLY SOCIETY RETURNS

REPORT OF REGISTRAR

"In their own interests, the members of every registered society should assure themselves that the officials whom they employ submit regularly and promptly to the Registrar the returns which the law prescribes," writes the Registrar of Friendly Societies in his report for the year ending 31st December, 1942.

Warnings of prosecution were needed to secure delivery of many of the returns, and, says the report, it was found necessary to take legal proceedings in sixteen cases.

As friendly societies and trade unions are not required by law to have the audit of their accounts conducted by a public auditor, great difficulty is experienced in securing the submission of correct accounts of income and expenditure, and the danger of mismanagement or misapplication of funds is thereby increased.

The numbers of societies on the Register at December 31, 1941, were:—friendly societies 337; trade unions 83; industrial and provident societies 523; and building societies 18. Friendly societies numbering 115, and trade unions numbering ten failed to send in returns; 44 (including both classes) were removed from the Register during the year, and 75 friendly societies were in process of liquidation. Sixty-six industrial and provident societies made no returns, 16 were removed from the Register, and 48 were in process of liquidation.

At 31st December, 1942, there were registered:—friendly societies, 302; trade unions, 95; industrial and provident societies, 512, including 47 in liquidation; building societies, 17.

FUNERAL

MR. J. BRENNAN

The funeral of Mr. J. Brennan, 32 Lower Gardiner street, Dublin, late of the B. and I. Co., took place from the Pro-Cathedral to Glasnevin Cemetery. The Rev. T. Condon celebrated the Mass, and the Rev. J. Camac officiated at the graveside.

The chief mourners were:—Mrs. A. Brennan (widow); Messrs. P. Brennan, J. Brennan and Joseph Brennan (sons); Miss M. Brennan (daughter); Mr. P. Brennan and Mr. B. Leonard (nephews); Miss M. Brennan (niece); Miss M. Tallon (sister-in-law).

The attendance included Mr. D. H. Tracy, Mr. P. Flanagan, Mr. J. Mulvanny, Mr. A. O'Reardon, Mr. J. Worth (representing Stephen's Green Cinema), Mr. J. Kirby, Miss T. Ryan (representing E.S.B.), Mr. O Byrne (representing O'Keefe's), Mr. C. McDermott (representing B. and I. Co.), Mr. H. O'Toole, Mr. J. Kelly, Miss L. Sheridan, Miss B. Dowling, Mr. J. Dowling, Mrs. Gaffney, Mr. T. Farrell, Mr. J. Carrick, Miss T. Farren.

OBITUARY

MR. M. S. PORTEUS

The death is announced of Mr. Mathew S. Porteous, managing director of Messrs. M. Porteous and Co., Templemichael Mills, Cork. A prominent figure in the commercial life of Cork, he was associated with the metal industry for many years, and the success of the firm, which bears his name, owes much to his business enterprise and initiative. In his younger days he was an enthusiastic motor cyclist. He was a member of the Carrignavar Group, L.D.F.

CHURCH SERVICES

ST. PATRICK'S CATHEDRAL.—10, Matins. 4, Evensong.
CHRIST CHURCH CATHEDRAL.—10.45, Matins. 3, Evensong.
ST. ANN'S CHURCH, Dawson Street.—11.30, H.C.
ST. MARK'S CHURCH.—8, Service of Intercession.
CHRIST CHURCH, Leeson Park.—8.30, H.C. 9.45, Intercession.

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Sherry and Wine. — Connolly's Red Cow Hotel, Naas, Co. Kildare, has a large stock of Sherry and Wine, which is for sale at reasonable prices.

Hotel Changes. — Mr. Thomas Kelly, who has been manager of the Hotel Metropole, Cork, for the past 12 years, has been appointed manager of the Hotel Metropole, Killarney. Mr. Kelly succeeds Mr. Thomas Cahill, who has been appointed manager of the Hotel Metropole, Cork.

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Lost Dog. — Lost, Irish Terrier, dog, Saturday, Dublin; reward.—Apply Mrs. Hamilton, Ballyfermot House, Ballyfermot

BIRTHS, MARRIAGES AND DEATHS

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BIRTHS.

DODD—May 15, 1943, at Ballymacprior House, Killorglin, to Rose, wife of Alfred De C. Dodd, a son.

MITCHELL—May 16, 1943, to Mona, wife of William Mitchell, "Churchville," Rathdowney, a son.

O'BROIN—April 30, 1943, to Molly (*nee* Clahane), wife of S. D. O'Broin, B.Agr.Sc., Johnstown House, Carlow, a daughter (Deirdre).

POWER—May 18, 1943, to Elizabeth Ann (*nee* Stoer), wife of William Power, 45 Wilfield road, Ballsbridge, a son (John Edmund Joseph).

MARRIAGE.

ENGLEDOW and SINTON—May 19, 1943, at St. Patrick's Cathedral, Armagh, by the Rev. W. McCappin, assisted by the Rev. P. Nicholson: James H. Engledow, younger son of Mr. and Mrs. H. F. Engledow, of Shepherd's Close, Stiffkey, Norfolk, to Bridget Maynard, only daughter of the late Mr. Maynard Sinton and of Mrs. Maynard Sinton, Ballyards, Armagh.

DEATHS.

BUDDS—April 9, 1943, at Brooklyn, New York, Reginald Aeneas, second son of late William and Mary Budds, of Bray.

DOOLEY—May 26, 1943, at a Dublin hospital, Richard Maurice, late Commander, Asiatic Steam Navigation Co., Ltd., Calcutta, beloved and devoted husband of Henrietta Elizabeth Dooley, 74 Eglinton road, Donnybrook, Dublin. Funeral (private) arriving Mount Jerome Cemetery, 10.45 a.m., to-morrow (Friday). House private. English and Indian papers please copy.

FERGUSON—May 25, 1943 (suddenly), in a London nursing home, Mary Hilda, of 12 Finchley road, N.W.8, widow of the late A. L. Ferguson, and daughter of the late J. H. Bridge, Roscrea, and of the late Mrs. Bridge, 64 Morehampton road, Dublin.

HOLLAND—May 25, 1943, at her residence, Dewrath, Kilkenny, Lucy Catherine, beloved wife of Noble Holland. "Peace, perfect peace."

PAULING—May 21, 1943 (suddenly), at Southampton, Henrietta, widow of Thomas Pauling, O.S.O., Phœnix Park, aged 69 years.

PRICE—May 25, 1943, at his residence, 47 Philipsburgh avenue, Fairview, Walter Henry, beloved husband of Mytanwy Price, and son of the late Rev. John Oliffe Price and Mrs. Price, Wexford. Funeral (private) arriving Bonnybrook, Dublin, to-morrow (Friday), at 11.30 a.m., for cremation.

ROUNTREE—May 26, 1943, at his residence, Curraghtown House, Moynalty, Co. Meath, Isaac, dearly-beloved husband of Mary Frances Rountree. Funeral to Newtown Cemetery at 3 o'clock (S.T.) to-morrow (Friday).

WALTERS—May 25, 1943, Kathleen (Katty), dearly-loved second daughter of John J. Walters, Sandymount. Deeply regretted. "Peace, perfect peace."

ANNOUNCEMENTS received late for this Column will be found on Page 3.

IN MEMORIAM.

LEADBEATER—In treasured memory of our beloved father, William Charles Leadbeater, who entered into Rest on the 27th May, 1938.
"Safe and secure our Saviour keeps
the one we dearly loved."
—Willie, Nan and Elsie.

LEADBEATER—In loving memory of darling grandma.—Audrey.

LOCKHART—In memory of my dear wife, Edith, who died 27th May, 1941. Always remembered by her loving husband, Samuel. "Thy will be done."—St. Matthew xxvi., 42.

MULHOLLAND—In loving memory of dear Maggie, called Home May 27, 1929.—M.J.

QUINN—In ever-loving memory of dearest mother, who died at "Stella Maris," Sandycove, 27th May, 1936. Masses offered.—Ada.

REFAUSSE—Memories' loving tribute to my dear husband, Paul, Redesdale, 1914.—K.R.

TRENAMAN—To the beloved memory of our dearly-loved Dad, who went to Rest, May 27th, 1942. Years may pass, yet every day thy memory will be enshrined in the loving hearts of those you left behind.—Nan, Micho, Floss, Eilie and Enid.

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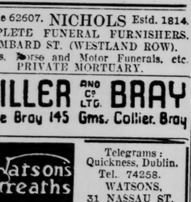

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MISCELLANEOUS

HENRY NOTLEY BANNON, late of 16 Clarinda Park, East, Kingstown, Co. Dublin, Deceased.
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TO-DAY (THURSDAY), at 1.15 p.m.,
At our Property Salerooms, South Great George's Street,
ORDER OF SALE:
LOT 1—7 COWPER ROAD, RATHMINES.
LOT 2—293 GRIFFITH AVENUE, DRUMCONDRA.
LOT 3—305 GRIFFITH AVENUE, DRUMCONDRA.
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